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WHEREAS, Poly-Med, Inc. a body politic and corporate under the laws of the State of South Carolina, whose post office address is 511 Westinghouse Road, Pendleton, South Carolina, 29670; as assignee, is desirous of securing the entire, right, title, and interest in and to this invention in all countries throughout the world, and in and to the application for United States Letters Patent on this invention and the Letters Patent to be issued upon this application;

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